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**PATENT**  
Attorney Docket No. 401263/FUKAMI

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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For: SEMICONDUCTOR  
DEVICE AND  
MANUFACTURING  
METHOD THEREOF

**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF CHANGES TO THE DRAWINGS**

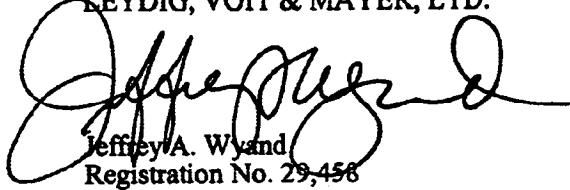
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The Examiner is requested to approve the changes to Figures 9-21 and 29-35, as shown in red on the attached sheets of drawings.

Respectfully submitted,

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